IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS MARSHALL DIVISION

EMED TECHNOLOGIES CORP.,	§	
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Plaintiff,	§	
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v.	§	No. 2:17-CV-00728-JRG-RSP
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REPRO-MED SYSTEMS, INC. D/B/A	§	
RMS MEDICAL PRODUCTS,	§	
	§	
Defendant.	§	

<u>ORDER</u>

In this patent case, Defendant Repro-Med Systems, Inc. moves to transfer or dismiss for improper venue. Def.'s Motion [Dkt. #7]. Plaintiff EMED Technologies Corp. responds that venue is proper and, if the Court is inclined to grant the motion based on the current record, EMED should first be allowed venue-related discovery. Pl.'s Resp. [Dkt. #15].

Having reviewed the parties' briefing, the Court finds some venue-related discovery appropriate. The Court therefore **GRANTS** the parties leave to conduct appropriately tailored venue discovery and **ORDERS** EMED to file its supplemental brief supporting venue within 60 days. Repro-Med may then respond within 7 days.

The Court expresses no opinion about whether EMED's proposed discovery¹ is appropriately tailored. Thus, if bona fide disputes arise concerning this discovery, the parties

¹ See Pl.'s First Set of Reqs. for Production [Dkt. # 15-13]; Pl's First Set of Reqs. for Admissions [Dkt. # 15-14].

should meet and confer and promptly raise any remaining disputes with the Court.

SIGNED this 27th day of February, 2018.

RÔY S. PAYNE

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE